



## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
 United States Patent and Trademark Office  
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
 www.uspto.gov

**\*BIBDATASHEET\*****CONFIRMATION NO. 6069**

Bib Data Sheet

SERIAL NUMBER 09/823,221	FILING DATE 03/29/2001  RULE	CLASS 702	GROUP ART UNIT 2863	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 15685P081
-----------------------------	---------------------------------------	--------------	------------------------	----------------------------------

## APPLICANTS

John T. Orchard, Palo Alto, CA; *tl*\*\* CONTINUING DATA \*\*\*\*\* *tl*\*\* FOREIGN APPLICATIONS \*\*\*\*\* *tl*

IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED

\*\* 05/09/2001

Foreign Priority claimed <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no	STATE OR	SHEETS	TOTAL	INDEPENDENT
35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions met <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance	COUNTRY	DRAWING	CLAIMS	CLAIMS
Verified and Acknowledged Examiner's Signature <i>tl</i> Initials <i>tl</i>	CA	7	<del>26</del>	3

## ADDRESS

08791  
 BLAKELY SOKOLOFF TAYLOR & ZAFMAN  
 12400 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD  
 SEVENTH FLOOR  
 LOS ANGELES , CA  
 90025-1030

## TITLE

Method and apparatus for controlling a computing system

FILING FEE  RECEIVED 1030	FEES: Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT No. _____ for following:	<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees ( Filing ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees ( Processing Ext. of time ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.18 Fees ( Issue ) <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
------------------------------------	---	--